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SUBJECT: OFFICIAL DEPARTMENT OF LABOR TRAVEL--BRADFORD A.

-- RUSSELL

1. BRADFORD A. RUSSELL, INDUSTRIAL HYGIENIST, OFFICE OF HEALTH STANDARDS DEVELOPMENT, OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION, IS A MEMBER OF THE U.S. DELEGATION TO THE 8TH SESSION OF THE CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES COMMITTEE OF THE ILO, FEBRUARY 4-12.

2. HE WOULD LIKE TO AVAIL HIMSELF OF THE OPPORTUNITY TO HOLD SOME DISCUSSIONS WITH PROFESSIONAL COLLEAGUES IN EUROPE. HE IS PARTICULARLY INTERESTED IN THE FOLLOWING:

A. SCIENTIFIC AND MEDICAL EVALUATION OF BENZENE EXPOSURE

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-- (1) GENERAL DISCUSSION OF PUBLISHED LITERATURE

-- ON BENZENE HEMOPATHY;

- - (2) DISCUSS WITH SPECIFIC INDIVIDUALS ACTIVE
- - IN RESEARCH ON BENZENE HEMOPATHY;

- - (3) MEDICAL CONDITIONS WHICH MAY RESULT FROM
- - EXPOSURE TO BENZENE, INCLUDING: A) THE INCIDENCE

- - - AND DEVELOPMENT OF BLOOD DYSCRASIAS;
- - - B) THE INCIDENCE AND DEVELOPMENT OF
- - - CHROMOSOME ABERRATIONS; C) THE INCIDENCE
- - - AND DEVELOPMENT OF LEUKEMIA; AND HOW THE
- - - INTERACTION WITH OTHER CHEMICALS I.E.
- - - TOLUENE, XYLENE, AFFECTS THE DEVELOPMENT
- - - OF THESE DISORDERS.

- - - (4) MEDICAL SURVEILLANCE PRACTICES
- - - NECESSARY TO DETECT MANIFEST DISEASE
- - - RESULTING FROM EXPOSURE TO BENZENE;

- - - (5) COMPLICATIONS ARISING FROM EXPOSURE
- - - TO BENZENE DUE TO THE PRESENCE OF EXISTING
- - - BLOOD DYSCRASIAS, (I.E. GENETIC ABNORMAL-
- - - ITIES), AND/OR INCREASED SUSCEPTIBILITY,ETC.

B. INDUSTRIAL EXPOSURE EVALUATION

- (1) THE CONDITIONS OF INDUSTRIAL EXPOSURE TO BENZENE IN THE TURKISH, ITALIAN, AND FRENCH INDUSTRY; FOR EXAMPLE, CHARACTERISTIC EXPOSURE CONCENTRATIONS, TYPICAL DURATION OF EXPOSURE, I.E. 8 HOURS PER DAY VERSUS LONGER PERIODS OF EXPOSURE, AND METHODS OF CONTROL OF EXPOSURES.

3. MR. RUSSELL WOULD ALSO LIKE TO AVAIL HIMSELF OF ANY OPPORTUNITIES THAT MIGHT BE AVAILABLE FOR A FACT FINDING INSPECTION OF INDUSTRIAL OR MANUFACTURING OPERATIONS USING OR PRODUCING BENZENE WHICH ARE CHARACTERISTIC OF PROCESSES REFERENCED IN THE PUBLISHED UNCLASSIFIED UNCLASSIFIED

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LITERATURE OR APPLICABLE TO THAT COUNTRY.

4. FROM HIS RESEARCH IN THE FIELD, MR. RUSSELL HAS SUGGESTED THE FOLLOWING PERSONS AS CONTACTS WITH WHOM HE WOULD LIKE TO DISCUSS THE ABOVE:

- MUZAFFER AKSOY, MD
-- INTERNAL CLINIC OF INSTANBUL MEDICAL SCHOOL
-- COPA, INSTANBUL, TURKEY:

-- A. GOFUEL, A CAVINGNEAUX, JEAN BERNARD
-- INSTITUTE DE RECHERCHES SUR LES
-- LEUCEMIES ET LES MALADIES DU SANG
-- HOSPITAL SAINT-LOUIS
-- 2, PLACE DU DOCTEUR
-- FOURNIER, F. 75 - PARIS, FRANCE;

-- DR. ENRICO C. VIGLIANI
-- CLINICA DEL LAVORO
-- "L. DEVOTO"
-- UNIVERSITY OF MILAN
-- MILAN, ITALY.

5. SUBJECT TO POSTS' APPROVAL, MR. RUSSELL HAS
PROPOSED THE FOLLOWING SCHEDULE:

-- ISTANBUL - FEBRUARY 17 - 20
-- MILAN - FEBRUARY 24 - 27
-- PARIS - MARCH 2 - 5.

6. MR. RUSSELL HAS NO FOREIGN LANGUAGE CAPABILITIES.

7. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR WOULD APPRECIATE ADDRESSEE POSTS'
ASSISTANCE IN SECURING APPOINTMENTS FOR MR. RUSSELL
WITH ABOVE NAMED INDIVIDUALS AND/OR OTHER APPROPRIATE
OFFICIALS AS WELL AS MAKING HOTEL RESERVATIONS IN
LINE WITH ABOVE SCHEDULE.

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